The Natural Resources and Culture Committee works with issues related to water quality and supply, recycling, sewer system construction and maintenance, parks and recreation and arts and culture programs.

The committee, which is made up of four Councilmembers appointed by the Mayor, will focus on locating additional sources of water and actively promoting the conservation of a very expensive and precious commodity in San Diego. Conserving water and ensuring that every drop is utilized in an efficient manner is critical to the future of San Diego's water supply.

In addition, the Natural Resources and Culture Committee will work on methods to improve efficiency and customer service within our City Departments so that every resident receives quality and timely assistance in the most cost effective manner.

We will also be working to preserve and expand our parks and open spaces and to promote the growth of the arts and culture community in San Diego.

As Chair of this committee, I will work to ensure that our precious natural resources are protected and properly utilized. Your observations and suggestions on any issues related to the work of this committee are welcome. For further information, please contact my committee consultant, Brittany Rankin, at (619) 236-6655.